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TO AMEMBASSY SOFIA

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FOR DCM BATJER

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SUBJ: VISIT OF CHAIM ALTBACH, PRESIDENT, A. EPSTEIN INTERNATIONAL
INC.

1. RAYMOND EPSTEIN, CHAIRMAN, THE A. EPSTEIN COMPANIES, INC.,
PARENT ORGANIZATION OF EPSTEIN INTERNATIONAL HAS ASKED COMMERCE
TO ALERT POST TO ALTBACH VISIT TO SOFIA BEGINNING AUGUST 8.
PURPOSE OF VISIT IS TO MEET WITH GENERAL DIRECTOR LETCHEV AND
OTHER RODOPAIMPEX OFFICIALS FOR TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS ON A
PROPOSED MEAT PLANT. BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON EPSTEIN
COMPANIES AND FIRM'S ACTIVITIES IN POLAND (CONTRACTS TOTALLING
OVER \$100 MILLION) BEING FORWARDED BY LETTER TO DCM BATJER.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY REQUESTED OFFER USUAL COURTESIES
AND ASSISTANCE, INCLUDING MEETING WITH AMBASSADOR OR DCM BATJER
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IF FEASIBLE. AT LATER DATE EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN ISSUING VISAS

FOR RODOPAIMPEX OFFICIALS TO VISIT EPSTEIN FACILITIES WILL BE
APPRECIATED. KISSINGER

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